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The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region VIII, Access to the Rocky Flats Environmental Database System

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On June 9, 1993, a meeting was held between the Department of Energy (DOE/RFO)/ Rocky Flats Office, EG&G's Sample Management Office and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), Region VIII, to discuss EPA seeking access to Rocky Flats Environmental Database System (RFEDS). During the meeting, a suggestion was presented to provide EPA with a direct link to RFEDS. At DOE's suggestion, EPA submitted a letter requesting access to RFEDS, and welcomed suggestions to its design (8HWM-FF).

DOE concurs with EPA in setting up direct access to RFEDS as the most efficient means for providing access to the data. RFO requests that EG&G address the following concerns before direct access is given to EPA:

1. EG&G needs to determine an implementation plan on the specific design identifying hardware, software and/or options that will be required for this direct access to take place.
2. EG&G should evaluate the impacts to computer/database security and determine what restrictions should be in place to prevent unauthorized access to RFEDS and to ensure integrity of the database.
3. EG&G needs to point out significant problems/constraints, performance and data issues associated with this proposed access.
4. EG&G should coordinate EPA's direct access request with Colorado Department of Health's (CDH) requests.

In the meantime, EPA has requested an ORACLE export of RFEDS data concerning Operable Unit 1, 2, and 3, and data collected for the background geochemical program. EG&G is instructed to provide this data to EPA. DOE requests responses to the above

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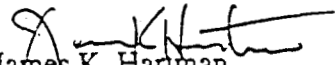
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concerns and a presentation to DOE by August 23, 1993. Further discussions will be scheduled with DOE, EPA and your staff to determine the specific designs of the RFEDS access, data requirements and funding constraints.

Please contact Norma I. Castaneda at 966-4226 if you should have any questions regarding this matter.


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